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ΤI Method for screening for anti-amyloidogenic properties and method for treatment of neurodegenerative disease

AB The methodologies of the present invention demonstrate that a critical balance between pro- and anti-amyloidogenic molecules exists that regulates amyloid formation and cell death in Alzheimer's disease and Parkinson's disease. β-Synuclein, the non-amyloidogenic homologue of α -synuclein, is a negative modulator of α -synuclein and Aβ aggregation, having neuroprotective properties against α -synuclein and A β neurotoxicity and that β -synuclein and therapeutic agents derived therefrom block amyloidogenesis and neurodegeneration in vivo. The method of the present invention establishes that β -synuclein blocks $A\beta$ aggregation either by direct inhibition of Aß amyloidogenesis or indirectly via either α -synuclein or its 35 a.a. NAC region, inferring neuroprotective characteristics within the effected cells. The generation of a transgenic mouse line and a cell system overexpressing α -synuclein characterizes the mechanisms by which β -synuclein blocks α -synuclein and A β aggregation and that this mechanism offers protection to the cell against amyloid formation as seen in the pathologies of Alzheimer's disease and Parkinson's disease.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

ACCESSION NUMBER:

2004:167214 USPATFULL

TITLE:

Method for screening for anti-amyloidogenic properties and method for treatment of neurodegenerative disease

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ANSWER 2 OF 4 USPATFULL on STN L4

Non aggregating fluorescent proteins and methods for using the same ΤI Nucleic acid compositions encoding non-aggregating chromo/fluoroproteins AB and mutants thereof, as well as the proteins encoded by the same, are provided. The proteins of interest are polypeptides that are non-aggregating colored and/or fluorescent proteins, where the the non-aggregating feature arises from the modulation of residues in the

N-terminus of the protein and the chromo and/or fluorescent feature arises from the interaction of two or more residues of the protein. Also provided are fragments of the subject nucleic acids and the peptides encoded thereby, as well as antibodies to the subject proteins and transgenic cells and organisms. The subject protein and nucleic acid compositions find use in a variety of different applications. Finally, kits for use in such applications, e.g., that include the subject nucleic acid compositions, are provided.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

ACCESSION NUMBER:

2003:30340 USPATFULL

TITLE:

Non aggregating fluorescent proteins and methods for

using the same

INVENTOR(S):

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ANSWER 3 OF 4 USPATFULL on STN L4

ΤI Modified forms of hepatitis C NS3 protease for facilitating inhibitor screening and structural studies of protease:inhibitor complexes

AB The present invention relates to modified Hepatitis C NS3 proteases and modified Hepatitis C NS4a-NS3 fusion proteases. These proteins are highly soluble and are useful for NMR spectroscopy, X-ray crystallography, and inhibitor screening. DNA constructs are also provided.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:198542 USPATFULL

TITLE:

Modified forms of hepatitis C NS3 protease for

facilitating inhibitor screening and structural studies

of protease:inhibitor complexes

INVENTOR(S):

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NUMBER KIND DATE -----

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EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

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CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

ANSWER 4 OF 4 USPATFULL on STN T.4

ΤI Modified forms of Hepatitis C NS3 protease for facilitating inhibitor

screening and structural studies of protease: inhibitor complexes

ΔR The present invention relates to modified Hepatitis C NS3 proteases and modified Hepatitis C NS4a-NS3 fusion proteases. These proteins are highly soluble and are useful for NMR spectroscopy, X-ray crystallography, and inhibitor screening. DNA constructs are also

provided.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

ACCESSION NUMBER:

2001:235118 USPATFULL

TITLE:

Modified forms of Hepatitis C NS3 protease for

facilitating inhibitor screening and structural studies

of protease: inhibitor complexes

INVENTOR(S):

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ANSWER 1 OF 3 USPATFULL on STN L5

Protein purification TI

A method for purifying proteins by Protein A chromatography is described AB which comprises removing contaminants by washing the solid phase with various intermediate wash buffers.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

2003:220444 USPATFULL ACCESSION NUMBER: Protein purification TITLE:

Breece, Timothy N., San Francisco, CA, UNITED STATES INVENTOR(S):

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PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): GENENTECH, INC. (U.S. corporation)

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20 NUMBER OF CLAIMS: EXEMPLARY CLAIM:

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NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 9 Drawing Page(s)

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CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

ANSWER 2 OF 3 USPATFULL on STN

Method for activity profiling compound mixtures TI

A method is described for identifying compounds in a complex mixture exhibiting a predetermined characteristic. The mixture is separated into fractions using at least two unique sets of separation parameters to produce at least two series of separation parameter dependent fractions. In one embodiment the mixtures are separated chromatographically using unique sets of separation parameters and the fractions are analyzed spectroscopically to provide data indicative of the component compounds and the fractions are analyzed in synchronously combined fractions, for the predetermined characteristic. The spectroscopic data for the fractions exhibiting the predetermined characteristic are compared to identify compound(s) common to the fractions exhibiting the characteristic. The method can be implemented in an automatic chromatographic system to provide rapid screening of complex compound mixtures for predetermined chemical or biological characteristics and to identify those components of the mixture exhibiting such characteristics.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:161893 USPATFULL

Method for activity profiling compound mixtures TITLE: Pidgeon, Charles, Cambridge, MA, United States INVENTOR(S):

Rooke, Nadege M., Framingham, MA, United States

Ruell, Jeffrey A., Boston, MA, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): BDC Pharma LLC, Chicago, IL, United States (U.S.

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NUMBER OF CLAIMS: 14 EXEMPLARY CLAIM: 1

NUMBER OF DRAWINGS: 29 Drawing Figure(s); 26 Drawing Page(s)

LINE COUNT: 1854

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

L5 ANSWER 3 OF 3 USPATFULL on STN

TI Purification of recombinant human neurotrophins

Methods are provided for large scale purification of neurotrophins, including mature NGF, suitable for clinical use. The methods provide means to separate neurotrophins from various less desirable misprocessed, misfolded, size, glycosylated, or charge forms.

Compositions of neurotrophins, including mature NGF, substantially free of these variants are also provided.

CAS INDEXING IS AVAILABLE FOR THIS PATENT.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:167121 USPATFULL

TITLE: Purification of recombinant human neurotrophins

INVENTOR(S): Burton, Louis E., San Mateo, CA, United States

Schmelzer, Charles H., Burlingame, CA, United States Beck, Joanne T., Westlake Village, CA, United States

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Genentech, Inc., South San Francisco, CA, United States

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PRIMARY EXAMINER: Tsang, Cecilia J.
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